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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

A group of people operating under various names publish a newspaper known as "New Solidarity". We have evidence that in some cases the "New" in the name is obscured and the paper is known as "Solidarity".

The UAW for many years has published a newspaper called "SOLIDARITY". Unfortunately, this "New Solidarity" is often confused with the UAW newspaper. We believe that the confusion is purposefully caused by the non-UAW group.

The "New Solidarity" newspaper is an irresponsible and scurrilous publication. It has no connection with the UAW and its newspaper, "SOLIDARITY". We are presently embarked on litigation to prevent the misuse of the UAW newspaper name and to end the confusion caused by these irresponsible persons.

The groups connected with "New Solidarity" are variously known as:

"The National Caucus of Labor Committees"

"The International Caucus of Labor Committees"

"The Campaigner Publications"

"The U.S. Labor Party"

"The National Unemployed and Welfare Rights Organization"

"The International Press Service"*

"The North American Labor Party"

Please note that there is a legitimate International Press Service, Inc., Suite 923

National Press Bldg. Washington, D.C. 20004, which has also suffered from confusion with these people. We have no quarrel with the legitimate International Press Service, Inc.

Should there be any question concerning those who represent themselves as being from the UAW or Solidarity, the UAW Newspaper, please call me at (202) 296-7484 for verification.

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